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Pertinent Topics Discussed by H.C.

Mr. Bennett who has been playing the role of elder statesman lately, broke from his self-imposed restrictions to tell the government that its wheat policy had made a few millionaires in the exchanges by giving them the chance to cash in on participations that should have gone to the growers. As we have pointed out before, his policy was, along with his party, defeated in the elections. It found little or no support among the western farmers, and the King government can hardly be blamed, therefore, for discarding it.

No country except Russia was especially interested in maintaining that particular form of government in Spain known as Leftist or Communist. Britain and France were not enamored of it. They recognized it because it was the government established by a majority of the Spanish people. Germany and Italy, being themselves militaristic, recognized the military Junta headed by Franco as the government of Spain. It looks now as if it would become the government de facto, which means that Spain will lose its powers of self-government and fall under a dictatorship as Germany, Russia and Italy have done. If so, it may be years before Spain recovers democratic self-government. The prospect is full of menace to France, perhaps also to Britain.

If ball-players tried this new sit-down strategy there would be no strike.

Two or three centuries ago writers of English wrote the first letter of nearly every noun with a capital. It is not done now, but writers of prospectuses and other advertising matter have been known to capitalize adjectives and adverbs, especially when the nouns are unimportant or dubious.

Prof. Jackman says the new financial set-up of the national railways may deceive the public as to the actual cost. Well, isn't that the intention?

Braving the Elements
A proud old man is Levi Minter, He wore his B.V.D.'s all winter.

Railwaymen in the United States purpose asking an increase of 15 or 20 per cent. in wages. If granted, it will automatically apply to Canadian lines, as all other increases did. It was to secure the full advantage of this that the demand was made to have the ten per cent. cut restored to the Canadian workmen.

The power that Roosevelt seeks over the Supreme Court is one that a good President should not ask and a bad President should not have. If he is allowed to alter the composition of the Court so as to make it subservient another President can do the same. If he can frame a Court that will pass his new deals, a successor can frame one that will put the stamp of authority on any sort of deals.

Townsend who was going to give
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Vulcan--10 Years Ago

The Vulcan Tennis Club was re-organized with J. W. Randall as president, Mrs. George McMann vice-president and A. C. Johnston secretary-treasurer.

Plans are underway for the holding of the second annual Elks' Fun Frolic, May 21, 23, 24.

Councillor Alex Smith was elected as Reeve of the M.D. of Royal and Jacob Eamorr was appointed-reeve.

"Oliver Day" sponsored by Roy Walker, turned out to be a decided success, with hundreds of people visiting the implement showrooms. An orchestra was in attendance, contests were held and local merchants were pleased with the business transacted on that day.

The current attraction at the Opera House was "Paradise for Two" with Richard Dix and Betty Bronson.

Ulrich Rink Winner Of Mixed Bonspiel

The return of colder weather has allowed play to be continued in the mixed bonspiel and this competition was finished last week-end. In the primary competition, Ulrich's rink defeated King's in the finals. The members of Mr. Ulrich's rink were Royce Clark, Bent Brown, Mrs. Ulrich and Mr. Ulrich. In the losers' half of the draw, A. Clark's rink defeated W. D. Allan's rink to enter the finals against T. B. Lebeau, also winning this draw. Members of the winning rink were Miss Lindsay, D. A. Evans, Wm. Black and A. Clark.

On Saturday evening two rinks of curlers from Champion, skipped by John Collins and Art Jopling, visited the local club and were defeated by Vulcan rinks skipped by Hugh Lee and W. E. Butchart.

A report of the Little Bow bonspiel, held at Vulcan on Wednesday, will be given next week.

FORD V-8's SWAMP STAVELEY BY 11-2

The rejuvenated Vulcan Ford V-8's had little difficulty in defeating Staveley at the local arena Monday evening in a postponed Foothills League hockey game. The local team was bolstered by the addition of three Calgary players, French Lennox and Shamlock, and a good crowd saw some entertaining hockey played. It is hoped that several more of the league games which were postponed due to road conditions will be played off while the ice remains.

Ford V-8's—Clark, D. Malmberg, A. Malmberg, S. Thomas; French Lennox Shamlock; Thompson, Granlin, Love. Goal scorers were French 3, Lennox 2, Shamlock 3, Thompson 1, Love 2.

Good Deeds Institute Holds Regular Meeting

Good Deeds W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Heslip on March 11th, with ten members and two visitors present. Mrs. Andrews was elected to attend the district conference at Lethbridge. This branch will endeavor to send two cars of members to the conference. Two schools, Hargy and Richmond Hill, reported the observance of Good Deeds Day. The pupils at Hargy gave an interesting talk on the manufacture of rayon, and were then treated to a hot dinner. Thirteen visitors were present at Richmond Hill and the pupils presented a program of songs and recitations, followed by two contests and a lunch.

At the meeting, the members were asked to bring two books each to the next meeting. This will establish a library of books to be loaned out to members at a small charge.

The program consisted of current events and interesting readings. "International Relations" was the subject of the meeting. Mrs. A.J. Kennedy read "Promoting Peace on the Pacific," an article written by Mrs. E. B. Price of Vancouver. An impromptu debate, fat people versus thin people, created much merriment. The judges decided in favor of the thin people. The singing of songs of various nations was followed by a delicious lunch served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Lilly.

The February social afternoon was held at the home of Mrs. Irving, Vulcan. A card party at the home of Mrs. A. Fisher, Thursday evening, March 25th, will replace the regular social afternoon. The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. Smith on Thursday, April 8th.

Kirkcaldy News

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lang have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Vovrick of Wayne, Alberta.

Mrs. H. Todd, who has been visiting in Saskatchewan for the past month, returned home this week.

Mr. Henry Todd spent a few days in Calgary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aitken have as their visitors Mr. Aitken's brother and uncle of Chinook, Alberta, who are on their way home after spending the winter months at Vancouver.

VULCAN HAPPENINGS

Mr. Lyman Johnson of Lethbridge, spent the week end in Vulcan.

Mrs. G. E. Drummond is spending a few days with friends in town.

Mr. W. Halman and Mr. W. Charters of Barrhead, were Vulcan visitors on Sunday.

Mr. W. G. Peterson and daughter, Evelyn, were Vulcan visitors for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Green, who have spent the winter here, have returned to Calgary this week.

Friends of James Kuykendall will be sorry to learn that he is a patient in the General Hospital at Calgary.

Rev. Jasper Bogue of the Church of Christ was at Hanna for services last Sunday, returning Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Deans were at Olds last week end, where Mr. Deans had been called on account of the serious illness of his mother. She was much improved when they left.

Under the auspices of Vulcan branch of the Canadian Legion, Vimy Day will be celebrated locally with a banquet and dance in the I.O.O.F. hall on April 9th. Further details will be given next week.

A public auction sale of horses, cattle, farm machinery and household effects will be held at the farm of Mrs. Frank Swartz, 8 miles East of Blackie, on Tuesday, April 6th. Watch for the posters and for the advertisement in next week's paper.

The Keystone Class of the Church of Christ met at the home of Mrs. Percy Myers recently, sixteen members and two visitors being present. A contest held was won by Mrs. E. Ferguson and an enjoyable afternoon was had by all those present. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

In the report of the Marquis municipal election last week, the results at each poll were incorrectly stated and should have read as follows: Johnk's poll, Mr. Johnk 31, Mr. Sinclair 6; Berrywater poll, Mr. Johnk 5, Mr. Sinclair 44. The successful candidate Mr. Donald Sinclair, was given a majority of 14 votes.

The mothers of the pupils of the Primary class of the Vulcan school paid a visit to their classroom on Monday afternoon. The visit proved most interesting. The boys and girls displayed their "Enterprise" work which is part of the course of studies this year. Much credit is due Miss Fair in the progress being made by the youngsters.

Readers may remember seeing in the Calgary Herald of some weeks ago pictures of a snow-slide at Sandon, B. C. Mr. B. R. Lommatsch sent clippings of these pictures to his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Harris, who resides at Sandon, and, on hearing from her, was surprised to learn that the pictures had been taken by Mrs. Harris, who had happened to have a camera with her when the slide occurred.

ESSAY CONTEST—Try your writing ability by entering the Red & White Stores' Essay Contest. Simply write an essay, not to exceed one page, on the subject "Why I Like Dealing With Red & White Stores," and mail to the Red & White Revue, c/o Radio Station CFAC, Calgary, on or before March 31st. 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes—\$3.00 in groceries, \$2.00 in groceries and \$1.00 in groceries. —RED & WHITE STORES, Vulcan Unit Owned and Operated by B. D. LOCKHART.

A list of Southern Alberta students who obtained honor standings in the 1936 departmental examinations includes the following: Four year course, Normal entrance: Harry Frank Beingsner, Vulcan; Harry Donald Wismer, Vulcan. Third year High School examinations, University Matriculation: Kathleen Mary Stack, St. Mary's, Calgary (Vulcan). Grade Eleven High School examinations, Normal entrance: Ethel Margaret Somerville, Vulcan (Lomond); Harry Donald Wismer, Vulcan.

Mrs. A. Vaughn is a visitor to Calgary this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Campbell of Queenstown, were Vulcan visitors for a few days this week.

Word has been received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watt (nee Margaret Roebuck) of Edmonton, on Saturday, March 13th.

Calgary visitors last week end include Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Patriquin, Mrs. E. Deal, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Kuykendall and C. S. Kuykendall, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Robson.

Miss Margaret Hanson was a visitor to Lethbridge on Friday. She brought back with her a new permanent wave machine, the latest in this type of beauty parlor equipment.

The Ladies' Missionary Circle of the Church of Christ will hold a tea and home-cooking and apron sale in the Sunday school room of the United Church on Saturday, March 20th, from 2 to 5.30 p.m.

The Reid Hill Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Drummond last week, a goodly number being in attendance. Roll call was answered with household hints or jokes and a contest was held, prizes going to Mrs. Hawkins and Mrs. Orchard. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. B. Dann on Wednesday, April 14th.

A card party, under the auspices of Young People's Recreation Club was held at the Sunny Lake school recently. About 20 were in attendance. Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. B. Dann tied for ladies' high and ladies' consolation prize went to Miss Mildred Hawkins. Men's high was won by Mr. B. Dann, with the consolation going to Mr. A. Armstrong.

Vulcan Oil Stock Listed At Toronto

Financial Statement Shows That Company is in Strong Financial Position

Vulcan Oils Limited stock was posted for trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange on Monday of last week. The company has authorized capital of 500,000 shares of a par value of \$1.00, of which 369,898 shares have been issued.

Companies in which Vulcan Oils holds royalty interests are: B. and B. Royalties, 10 per cent.; Carleton Royalties, 4 1/2 per cent.; Newfold Royalties, 5 per cent.; Sovereign Royalties, 10 per cent.; Sterling Royalties, 3 1/2 per cent.; Turner Valley Royalties, 12 per cent.; Westside Royalties, 3 per cent.; Wales Petroleum 1/2 of 1 per cent.; National Petroleum, 4000 shares. B. and B. Royalties and Turner Valley Royalties are the two largest producing crude oil wells in the field at the present time.

The company also holds interests in a total of 160 acres in Turner Valley, 160 acres in the Del Bonita field and a one-half undivided interest in 520 acres adjacent to Hunter Valley property.

As at February 27th, the company had cash in banks totalling \$54,546.13.

Berrywater

Friends will be sorry to hear that Mrs. Mensinger Sr., is confined to her bed at her home in Calgary. They will all wish her a speedy recovery.

Don't forget the big attraction at Berrywater school on Friday, March 19th "Here Comes Charlie."

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mensinger Jr., were Calgary visitors over the week-end.

Mr. Roy McIntyre, who has been a visitor in the district, has returned to Calgary.

Mrs. L. A. Douglass spent a few days in Vulcan, the guest of Miss E. Jennijohn.

Miss Phyllis Mensinger was a week-end visitor to Calgary, where she visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Mensinger.

Mr. Hugh Baden was a business visitor to Calgary recently.

Social Events Honor Popular Bride-Elect

Several social events have been held recently in honor of Miss Mayme E. Lebeau, whose marriage to Mr. Ronald Holmes of Calgary, takes place on the 27th of this month.

Last Thursday the Vulcan United Church senior choir, of which the popular bride-elect has been a member for some time, held a social evening in honor of Miss Lebeau. Short speeches were made by Mrs. O. A. Craig, W. D. Allan and others and the presentation of a beautiful set of silverware was made by W. E. Butchart. Miss Lebeau expressed her appreciation to the members of the choir. Lunch was served at the conclusion of the evening.

Joint Hostesses at Shower
Mrs. (Dr.) Carson and Mrs. W. D. Allan were joint hostesses at a delightful shower held at Mrs. Carson's home recently in honor of Miss Mayme Lebeau, bride-elect of this month. Many pretty and useful gifts were presented to Miss Lebeau in a gaily decorated basket, after which an enjoyable lunch was served by the hostesses.

Shower for Popular Bride-Elect
On Tuesday evening Miss Margaret Munro entertained a number of friends at her home in honor of Miss Mayme Lebeau. Various contests contributed to a pleasant evening and a dainty lunch was served. The bride-elect was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

VULCAN HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Jean Rabasti is recovering from her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mulberry are rejoicing in the birth of a son on March 8th.

Friends of Mr. George Seaman will be pleased to hear that he is progressing nicely after his operation.

Mr. W. Fitzpatrick is doing nicely and his broken leg is healing.

Miss Norris' condition is very satisfactory.

Friends of Miss Avis Deal will be glad to learn that she is doing nicely after her operation.

Pat Gallagher, of Nanton, who had the misfortune to break his leg, is improving satisfactorily.

Friends of Mrs. G. McQueen will be glad to learn that she is a patient in the hospital. She is only seeing very few friends.

Miss Watt of the staff, has been called to her home at Rimbey, owing to the illness of her mother.

Miss Newhouse, of Calgary, is substituting at the hospital.

Mrs. Hoover has returned from Lethbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bisgar of Champion, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, March 11th.

CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES

We were happy in that Mrs. Bogue could preach the last two Sundays. Her messages were well received. Mr. Bogue will preach next Sunday morning on "Things Changed by The Cross." And at evening service "The Message of The Cross." We invite you to hear these messages and to attend both Bible School and Christian Endeavour, Wednesday evening, March 24th, "The Ministry of Disciples."

The ladies of the church are having tea, apron and bake sale in the Sunday school room of the United church on Saturday, March 20th. Easter things available. Large patronage expected.

It is quite likely that Brother Hansell will be here for the moving service on Easter Sunday.

Easter evening we will have a great service. Mrs. Bogue has been directing preparations for Easter pageant "The Garden of Light." The choir under direction of Mr. Weale and Miss Beulah Walker will present special Easter music. Extensive decorations will turn the church and platform into a veritable garden which will enhance the beauty and effect of the wonderful Resurrection story of our Saviour.

The Advocate will be pleased to receive items for the local columns regarding visitors, entertainments, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, etc.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Stool pigeons may be legalized under the Alberta police act.

On May 14, the Imperial Conference meets to discuss Empire defence.

Two hundred and seventy-nine Herefords are entered at the Calgary Spring show.

Lethbridge Maple Leafs represent Alberta in Western Canada Intermediate play-offs.

If the U.S. plan of cash and carry in regard to war materials becomes law, the British government will turn to the dominions.

Judge Mitchell, speaking before the Review Board says that much land suitable only for grazing has been turned to wheat, with disaster to owners.

This year the travelling expenses of Cabinet ministers at Edmonton are estimated at \$6,500. This is regarded as including \$2500 for the Premier's trip to the Coronation.

Two large manufacturing plants from United States plan to expand their plants in Ontario at an expense of \$10,000,000. They have been harassed by sit-down strikes.

The French government has led in expropriation of the munitions plant of Schneider and Creusot. This includes nationalization of plants, stocks and war products.

J. J. Bowlen asked complete information on sale of Albertan Publishers' stock. He asked if the Albertan had received any government advance, and how much printing had been placed with the government.

Vancouver action involving Premier Aberhart in a charge of wage claims in connection with the defunct Social Credit Union was dismissed with costs, and the judge said the charge should never have been brought.

The Social Credit group of the town of Red Deer passed a resolution opposing the premier going to the coronation at this time and deploring the lack of definite steps toward Social Credit. Unless definite step is taken at this session, the group asks the resignation of the present cabinet.

United Church Recital On Easter Monday

Miss Theresa M. Siegel, the well-known play-reader and entertainer, will recite Wilson Barrett's drama, "The Sign of the Cross" at the Vulcan United Church on Easter Monday, March 29th, at 8 p.m. Miss Siegel excels in the dramatic reproduction of whole plays, for platform performance and through her voice and illustrative action she is able to so command the imagination of her listeners that they easily fancy themselves seeing the play, rather than hearing it recited. The story of the "Sign of the Cross" is well-known to practically everyone, having to do with the days of pagan Rome and the struggles of the early Christians there. The play is intensely dramatic and this recital of it should be well patronized. A pantomime presentation of "Nearer My God To Thee" will also be included. The recital is under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the United Church.

ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTES

Palm Sunday service will be held at St. Aldhelm's church at 7:30 p.m. As there is no "Greenlee's Coulee" to pass through on No. 23 highway, Mr. Winter hopes to be on time. Apologies are expressed for last Sunday evening's unavoidable absence. Sunday school will be at 12:15.

Maunday Thursday March 25th, still pictures, "Jesus' Trial and Crucifixion" will be shown in St. Aldhelm's church at 8:15. Good Friday service will be from 2 to 3 p.m. Easter Day services are at 8:30 and 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Lomond Good Friday service will be at 7:30 p.m.

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Mr. Average Citizen

Just at the moment, the forgotten man in Alberta would appear to be Mr. Average Citizen who has been able to contribute towards provincial revenues all during the depression, not particularly through any position of affluence, but more often through a morbid determination not to let the depression beat him. But day by day the paying element in Alberta is growing smaller, while the receiving element is constantly growing. The standard of living on relief in the cities is infinitely higher than the standard of living on the average Alberta farm, on or off relief. Many citizens are finding the maladjustment of economics more than their public morality can stand. Relief is so easy—and it's much quicker than the basic dividends.—Claresholm Review.

Loss on Highways

An instance of the loss occasioned by blocked highways is shown in just one service station in Coleman. In February 1936 there was sold 2,000 gallons of gasoline; in February 1937 it dropped to 500 gallons. At 7c tax per gallon, a loss of \$195 is shown. Besides, truck drivers were unable to work and certain lines of business came to a standstill. Multiply the figures of one service station throughout Southern Alberta, and it will be seen that the government was out thousands of dollars in gasoline tax. Would it not pay to have adequate snow clearing equipment?—Coleman Canadian.

Prime Minister MacKenzie King has invited Hon. R. B. Bennett to be a part of the official Canadian representation.

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WHEAT AS PAY FOR DEFENCE

The following is a suggestion on the part which Canada might play in Empire defence. This is from a letter written by Stephen Leacock to the Toronto Globe and Mail:

"The Canadian Parliament is opening up a debate on imperial and national defence. It is a dangerous discussion. The attempt to show that we need to join in Empire defence may lead people to pretend that we need defence here as against Americans.

"That is just crazy and worse. That can do infinite harm. Our best defence, our only defence, against the Americans, and theirs against us, is to have no defence at all. None that either of us could ever prepare would be effective along such a frontier. We must live in peace or die together.

"We show every sign of living in peace. Don't let's spoil by pretending that we need air-bases and gas masks and ally ports and demi-culverins and half-scothes against the Americans. We don't. Honestly, I wouldn't shoot an American, even if I found him sitting on a bough where I could sneak right up behind him.

"So I propose an idea as large as the side of a house, in fact as large as the side of a grain elevator.

"Let us make our Empire contribution in the shape of a huge annual gift of wheat for storage in England against war. England must begin to store up wheat, flour, oil and food in this cursed situation that has arisen.

"If we give them wheat it is as good as gunpowder. The beauty of it is that it has all the Scotch virtue of being a mighty canny thing for ourselves anyway. It would be the end of all this 'carry-over' trouble, this 'on-production' and 'go easy.' It would mean that merry old Saskatchewan would put on so many teams and so many tractors for spring plowing on such a big scale that they'd disappear over the horizon."

GET DOWN TO BUSINESS

During the past eighteen months, the province of Alberta has been marking time, with everything subservient to Social Credit. That has been a sufficiently long time to devote to experimentation and bamboozling. It is time now to cut out the nonsense, the "important announcements," the unsettling, unsound legislation, and try to catch up on what we have lost in comparison with other provinces.

The Red Deer Advocate says: "Now that dividends and the other attempts to introduce a new social order over night have been found ineffective, the average citizen of the province, whether a paid-up member of a Social Credit group or not, would do well to consider the serious position of his province. Alberta's credit is at a low ebb. Lacking some satisfactory arrangement for the payment of interest on provincial bonds, for which condition the bondholders' organization must certainly take its share of blame, no reducing operations with their consequent reduction in interest are possible either with or without Federal assistance. Until this interest business is settled there can be no progress made toward reducing the burden carried by the provincial taxpayer. Unemployment, which is larger in Alberta proportionately than in the other provinces, and which will probably be increased in a few weeks by the seasonal shutdown of the mines, is a grave problem. Relief, particularly in the large cities, is causing the authorities much concern. Over-crowding in the provincial mental hospitals, the preservation and extension of the provincial

highway system, and many other problems are crying out for the attention of the government. Even if Mr. Blue's plan is adopted, the special committee and the technical advisor could work out a scheme, and the time of the government could be more profitably spent in dealing with the urgent problems now demanding attention."

WAR PENSIONS

No one can say that veterans of the Great War have received adequate return for their services. Their pensions are too small in most instances, and are frequently entirely too difficult to obtain. Some of the returned men might better have died in action, than experience what they have since the war.

But here is the statement of Hon. G. C. Powers, speaking in the House of Commons on the subject of pensions and veterans expenditures. It is quite a load for a country of small population to cover: "Something like \$950,000,000 has been spent since the war, with current costs running between \$55,000,000 and \$60,000,000 a year. More than this Major Power illustrated how these costs would continue to rise automatically. In addition to the \$41,500,000 to be distributed this year in 96,000 pensions there was \$4,200,000, or \$800,000 more than last year, going to those incapacitated veterans over 60 years of age, eligible for special allowances. Between 1950 and 1953 this expenditure will reach \$13,000,000 annually. There is also as strictly veteran expenditures, the cost of the eight military hospitals now maintained by the Government and \$2,600,000 a year going as subsidies to these veterans whose pensions are considered inadequate to cover family requirements."

In the event of another war, those of this generation will leave a nice little legacy of pensions for succeeding generations.

M EIGHEN ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL PROBE

Previous public investigations of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen's connection with the Abitibi power plant purchase having disclosed nothing discreditable to Mr. Meighen, Premier Hepburn proposes going over the ground again, adding to his previous charges certain allegations against his private business based on a five-year-old request of petitioners some of whom have long since withdrawn their names.

This time, however, the probe is not to be conducted by judges sitting in open session where the evidence is available to the press and the general public alike but by an employee of the Hepburn Government, namely the Securities Commissioner. It is a procedure that is not likely to strengthen confidence in the Premier's motives for his periodic and vitriolic outbursts against a former Conservative Prime Minister of Canada.

If Mr. Hepburn really believes there is any foundation for the charges which he hurled against Mr. Meighen, which is doubtful, the proper procedure would be to have them probed by an impartial judge beholden to no one for his job instead of by a political appointee, regardless of how impartial the latter may be in his viewpoint. It is unfair to a public servant to thrust him into the position in which the Premier proposes to place the Securities Commissioner.

And in any event Mr. Meighen or any other citizen who has been made the subject of such bitter attack as that levelled at him by Mr. Hepburn is surely entitled to have the evidence, both against and for him, brought out in such a manner that his fellow citizens may acquaint themselves with everything produced. A secret probe lends itself to too many opportunities for unfair interpretation and distortion by those who have an ulterior motive to serve.—Toronto Telegram.

CONDITIONS IN GERMANY

Signs multiply that things are going from bad to worse in the Hitlerized Fatherland. American attention has just been directed to the secret debt, known to be of great but as yet undetermined size. British rearmament goes on apace, indicating that it will be a long time before Hans is told that butter thereafter will take precedence over cannon. One recent report has it that there is not the expected amount of wheat in the Reich. Hope of assistance from lands more prosperous is vain unless Germany agrees to terms that would discourage dreams of the extension of Germany's domain. So the issue of the colonies is in abeyance.—Boston Transcript.

Science and Skill In Animal World

Naturalist Tells of Man's Efforts to Match Achievements of Birds, Beasts and Insects

(From The High River Times)

In principles of flying, stream-lining, air conditioning, dam building, scientific man has sought inspiration from the skill of birds and animals. Leslie Sara, naturalist and writer of Calgary, revealed the world of nature from this angle, to Rotarians on Thursday evening. Rovers, Scouts and Cubs were privileged guests of the club, listening with fascination to the marvellous story. The speaker was introduced by Dr. McNichol.

"All man's inventions, the achievements with which he has been credited were first suggested by methods and facilities of insects, birds, fish or animals," said the speaker.

Ants, in their building, have constructed anthills, twelve feet in height, planned with galleries, rooms and halls, in wonderful detail and accuracy. Relatively this is a much greater achievement than the Empire State building or the sky scrapers of the human world.

The beaver has always been recognized as a dam builder. In his results he has taught man many lessons, not least of which is the building of a second dam, lower than the first to hold solid the foundation and prevent undermining.

The dragon fly in its air mastery has inspired many of the principles of airplane construction, but nothing man-made or man-driven has reached the perfection of the dragon-fly in side-slipping, looping the loop, stopping in mid-air, reversing, etc. This

insect is also a great friend to man, in its destruction of mosquitos and such insects.

Air conditioning has caught many suggestions by study of bees. The principle of ventilation for mines also owes so much to a study of the insect world.

A paper process was discovered centuries ago, through a study of the material of wasps nests. This was weather proof, moisture proof, firm and strong. Spiders gave the idea for cellophane, and the silk of the silk moth has given direction to artificial products.

The wasp and the poisonous reptiles suggested the idea of hypodermic needles. The poison injected through puncturing the flesh, suggested the use of serum in the same way.

Snares and nets owe much of their perfection to the study of the spider's webs, and the mouse-trap is founded on the principles by which the orchid closes up on its insect victim.

Telephone linemen and tree climbers have borrowed from the grasshoppers which climb upward by a hook at the end of their limbs. They still go man one better by their facility to leap from point to point.

The rabbits feet have suggested to man the idea of snowshoes and a study of seals helped in the development of skis.

Birds' nests are marvels of construction, to keep out wind and weather and afford protection from marauders. The warmth of the down comforter was suggested by observation of the duck which covered its eggs with down, to keep temperature safe until its return to the nest. The principle of the shock absorber owes much to the study of the beak of the woodpecker.

The vegetable world, said Mr. Sara also offers inspiration in design and

Cheap Money For Home Improvement

In respect to the bank loans available under the Home Improvement plan, the value of this service may be realized by a comparison with time payments on motor cars, furniture and such merchandise.

Under the Home Improvement loans the interest works out on a year's loan to 6.32%. In buying a car on time payment, the cost of carrying works out to about 14 per cent. In buying from department stores in time payments the charge amounts to 18 per cent.

The public has become accustomed to purchase of cars, furniture, etc. under this time plan and should appreciate the opportunity to redecorate and repair homes under a much more advantageous repayment rate.

The Home Improvement plan has been instituted by the Dominion government, in order to restore Canadian homes to better standards, to stimulate employment and all industries involved in building, repairing and redecorating. The co-operation of the banks of Canada has been enlisted. Those who have studied the modest interest charges, in conjunction with the amount of bookkeeping involved, believe that the banks will be in no sense recompensed for their part in the plan. But it is a general stimulation to business. The interest works on a declining rate. If the loan is taken out for a year it amounts to 6.32 per cent., declining to 6.18 per cent. if a three year loan.

coloring. And the snow drops in their infinite variety of pattern have suggested designs for jewelry embroidery, and many decorative effects.

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Some of the silver-tongued orators now busily engaged in telling eastern audiences that prosperity has definitely turned the corner might well ponder on the fact that 300,000 prairie people are on relief this winter. It is absolute nonsense for anyone to make the assertion that Canada can be prosperous under any such condition. The prairies represent, under normal conditions, a flow of purchasing power which supports industrial prosperity in the eastern provinces and keeps the nation's great transportation systems on a profitable operating basis. Choke that flow of purchasing power to a practically dried-up condition and the very foundations of national prosperity are destroyed. Prosperity should not be gauged by corporation dividends, export indices, income tax returns, or the market value of stocks and bonds, but by the ability of the masses to purchase the things necessary to their sustenance, comfort, health and general well-being. Restricted ability to purchase and general prosperity cannot be bedfellows in any company.—Shaunavon Standard.

No ministers of the Alberta cabinet accepted any scrip in the prosperity certificates issue.

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The town of Huntsville in Northern Ontario, became pretty slow over a period of years, until a Business Men's Club was organized there, who got busy, made a survey of the town's possibilities, discovered that it was a wonderful place to spend a holiday either in winter or summer, told the world so, and the tourist business that developed is pulling not only Huntsville, but also other northern towns off the rocks. Last Saturday one train alone from Toronto carried 3,000 persons there to spend the week end skiing and skating; and all these people had to be later taken care of at local hotels and boarding houses. What has been done at Huntsville can be done in any other town, if only the Business Men's Associations would lend their interest to surveying their town's possibilities, and proceed to organize the means of attracting the attention of people to it.—Amherstburg Echo.

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Pertinent Topics

(By H. C.)

(Continued from Front Page)

everyone over sixty who needed it a pension of \$200 a month, has been sentenced to a year in jail and a fine of \$1000 for contempt of court. Several men who headed the movement were charged with misuse of the funds collected from their credulous followers. Townsend refused to answer a question and walked out of court. That was before the elections in which the Townsend and Huey Long factions were badly defeated. Success would have made all the difference in the world to Townsend, for he could have changed the composition of the court.

Under government control the Dionne quintuplets have hoarded up half a million dollars. Score one for government control, but don't overlook the fact that the girls were not old enough to take advantage of government control as their elders do.

Someone threw a bomb that wounded the Italian viceroy of Ethiopia. They could not find out who it was, so they rounded up six hundred suspects and shot them. The Ethiopians are showing a marked reluctance to the acceptance of Italian culture and civilization, but then, of course, the Italians knew from the start that they were dealing with barbarians.

The federal government collected 115 millions through sales tax and 102 millions through income tax, but the funny thing is that the people who pay the larger amount think that the people who pay the smaller amount are paying the whole shot! The only difference between direct and indirect taxation is that the latter is accompanied by an anaesthetic. The extraction takes place in any event.

Henry Ford expressed the opinion that high wages will prevent strikes. As labor unions are constituted now, high wages are not a preventive, nor is the fact that an industry is having hard sledding a preventive. Lewis is now making flank attacks on Ford and Chrysler as he said he would during the strike in General Motors.

Nazi complaint seems to be that other countries will not give Germany the things it needs badly if it is ever to be in a position to lick those other countries.

When peaceful-picketing was made legal, it started something that was not contemplated at the time. No employer of labor cares to have sandwich men parading in front of his premises advertising him as being unfair to his employees. Union leaders know this only too well, and some of them use it for blackmail. Bootleg unions have been organized that apply extortion systematically. Merchants, restaurants-keepers and manufacturers have paid off one union leader only to find next day a new set of pickets under a new leader claiming to be the head of the real union. There is no such thing as peaceful picketing. Implicit in the act are intimidation, coercion, duress.

The undetermined legality of the sit-down strike has had its logical effect.

We said at the time that Roosevelt's intervention to stop the General Motors' strike without determining the legality of that method would give him ample occasion for the use of his good offices. In one case tear gas was used; in another the military; to expel the sit-downers. In New Jersey, a Republican Governor has announced that all the means at his disposal will be directed against it. Union leaders have called upon the President to prevent official suppression of forceful possession and occupation, inherently illegal. The issue will not down. It has to be dealt with, and the man who has to do it is a man by the name of Roosevelt.

It is natural that Mr. Aberhart in his dilemma should seek advice from his friends and not ask comment from his opponents. That the majority of his friends will stand by him may be assumed. They are more likely to blame those who opposed Social Credit than they are the man or men who induced them to place their faith in it. Indeed they are apt to blame others all the more now that their own confidence in its success is shaken. Whatever doubts they have they will keep to themselves. They are not apt to confess them to anyone who may retort "I told you so."

It was futile for him to say he wanted no comment from his opponents. They were the first he heard from. They assume that he ought to regard their advice now that they are able to say that they were right at the start and that time has proven it. He may not mind that so much as the disappointment of those who believed that dividends would flow from the Cultural Heritage of Citizenship, and the criticism of friends who claim he never tried to put Social Credit into effect.

When Roosevelt said the Judges of the Supreme Court are living in the horse and buggy days he was thinking no doubt of the time when they as lawyers used to draw conveyances.

Treasurer Plans For More Revenue

Increased Taxation on Corporations and Tightening up of Sales Tax Exemptions

Provincial Treasurer Solon Low is budgeting for \$559,157 increased taxation on corporations. Increased revenue is expected from existing taxes due to improved conditions, and there will be elimination of certain exemptions on the sales tax. Clothing, however, will be on the exempted list.

In corporations, banks are expected to give \$150,000; railways \$118,000, insurance companies \$80,000 and \$130,000.

Increased revenue from sales tax is expected to bring \$450,000. This and additional liquor revenues are expected to bring \$1,096,000 new money.

The budget calls for a surplus on income, account alone of almost \$2,000,000.

Telephone Deficit

Telephone system returns show increased revenue of \$14,262 in year ending March 1936, from urban returns. Rural revenue decreased \$70,000. A

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deficit of \$286,797 was recorded over all, during the year, and the accumulated deficit is now \$1,906,653.

Services

The budget estimates include extension of health units with three additional ones added to those already existing. An extension of mental hospital service is included, as the patients have been increasing from 173 to 200 a year.

A travelling clinic will be used this year at cost of \$4,350.

A highway traffic board to supervise and regulate traffic will cost \$31,200.

A sum of \$50,000 as on the estimates for establishment of the Social Credit House.

Relief Outlay

Up to April 1 of this year the total relief outlay for the year will be \$4,995,935. Of this \$2,161,435 will be from the province.

Revenues Expected

Revenue from the provincial income tax is estimated at \$1,200,000 the same as last year, while the sales tax is estimated to yield \$1,600,000 as against \$1,000,000 last year and an estimate of \$2,000,000.

The amusement tax branch is estimated to yield \$198,000 with \$25,000 expected from operation of the pari-mutuel machines.

Exchange earnings from the Alberta government telephone system are estimated at \$1,240,000 with rural earning placed at \$150,000 and toll receipts at \$890,000.

License revenue from motor vehicles is given at \$1,541,000 and from gasoline and fuel oil tax estimated at \$2,350,000 with another \$150,000 due from trucks and trailers certificates.

Mileage levies on buses is estimated at \$30,000.

Lands and mines department revenue is up over the previous year.

Petroleum and natural gas royalties are expected to produce \$250,000 and fees and rentals from these interests another \$150,000.

Coal rentals and royalties amount to \$300,000.

Timber rentals will yield \$310,000 and grazing leases and associated activities \$130,000.

The social service tax is expected to yield \$1,312,000.

Payments on the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation district amount to \$130,000 and \$8,500 on the New West district.

Hon. Lucien Maynard stated that he personally redeemed 1200 in prosperity certificates.

Mussolini narrowly escaped being gored by a mad ox. He stepped back calmly and gave instructions for subduing the animal.

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10. It avoids overamusement.
11. It does not require an extravagant outlay of money.
12. It sends us on our way the next day refreshed and invigorated.

Dr. L. P. Jacks has said that "the proper use of leisure is the skillful use of it." The skillful use of leisure enriches personality and gives security and confidence and satisfaction as new skills are acquired. How we use our leisure determines how much self-direction and self-control we have, as well as the quality of our attitudes and appreciations, our outlook and insight.—Salmon Arm Observer.

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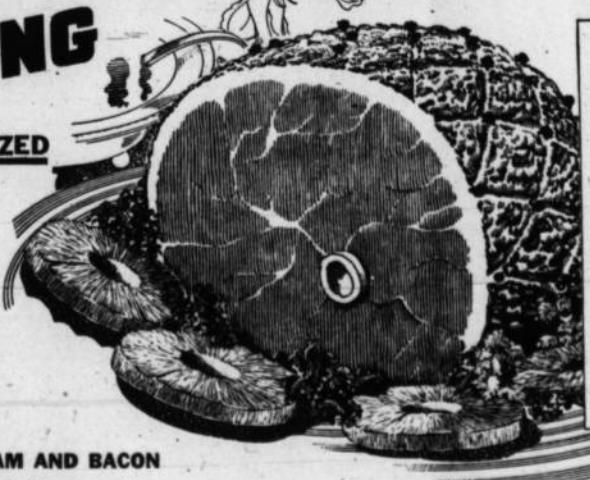
"It is the eternal struggle between these two principles—right and wrong. They are the two principles that have stood face to face from beginning of time, and will ever continue to struggle. The one is the common right of humanity, and the other is the divine right of kings. It is the same principle in whatever shape it develops itself. It is the same spirit that says, 'You toil and work and earn bread, and I'll eat it.' No matter in what shape it comes, whether from the mouth of a king who seeks to bestride the people of his own nation and live by the fruit of their labor, or from one race of men as an apology for enslaving another race, it is the same tyrannical principle."—Lincoln Douglas Debate.

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Ontario Outlook Cheers Taxpayers

Grants of \$3,000,000 to Municipalities;
 Cut \$32,000,000 Off Provincial Debt

An estimated surplus of \$7,347,729, 12 times the amount he predicted a year ago, was reported to the Ontario legislature for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1937, by Premier Mitchell F. Hepburn in his third budget address.

Gross revenue in the fiscal year he reviewed would reach a record figure of \$92,221,809 by March 31, the premier said. He had estimated \$86,415,649.

For the 1937-38 year he estimated ordinary revenue of \$94,849,324.20, with expenditure, including unemployment relief and administration, of \$92,566,418.58.

Relief Lower
 Relief cost Ontario \$12,500,000 in the current year and was estimated to cost \$9,048,490 in the next fiscal year. These figures compared with a relief

Valley Warning For Job Seekers

When the Turner Valley branch of the Canadian Legion held their regular monthly meeting recently, in the Legion hall, the labor situation was under discussion.

The influx of labor in the district is causing plenty of hardship among the applicants for work, as the companies are not hiring many extra men to date. The work is being held up by the road conditions. Many men are not equipped with clothing or money to pay their expenses and therefore should be warned as to the general condition here in the Valley before coming out.

Perhaps the suggestion that the life of the Legislature should be extended to ten years is that instead of 18 months it will take at least 10 years.—Lethbridge Herald.

expenditure of \$20,363,645 for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1936.

Interest of the house was focussed on the premier's announcement that municipalities, which last year forfeited to the province the right to collect income taxes, would be paid a grant.

Every city, town, village and township will be paid a sum representing the equivalent of one mill on the dollar of their rateable assessments for general municipal purposes, a \$3,000,000 grant.

Ontario's "pay as you go" policy had brought results, said the premier in outlining the province's financial policy. A balanced budget is the basis of national credit and the bulwark of private credit, he said. This ideal was for the Ontario government.

Another benefit conferred by the Hepburn government, and shared by all is the abolition of the amusement tax. In addition there is to be a 25 per cent. reduction on commercial vehicle licenses, affecting 80,000 truck owners in the province. It is promised that private car owners will also have consideration.

From August 5 to August 31, Lucien Maynard received \$7,161 for travelling expenses in connection with certificates.

Premier Aberhart stated on Sunday that he had received expressions of confidence from twenty-five groups in Calgary and from many more country groups.

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COMMUNICATION

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I don't see any comfort in Mr. Jensen's letter for "Worried." There is a lot of worry about today for the people of Alberta. It is given in evidence that Mr. Aberhart claims "Deal with the public, remembering that the average mentality is that of a 13-year-old child." Mr. Aberhart should know if that is a fact; I don't believe it is true. The people of Western Canada are an intelligent class of people, but the trouble with the Alberta people is that they were led away by false promises, on a religious Christian basis. No politician, statesman or religionist has mixed religion and politics in modern times as Aberhart is doing. Many have believed in him as a prophet. All his prophecies of a rapture, millenium, and the end of the world have not been fulfilled; on this he must be classed with Cerinthus, the first advocate of millenium. Historians claim that Cerinthus was the founder of this teaching and was rejected by the Apostle John at Ephesus as a heretic, a false prophet.

People believed Aberhart, that he would inaugurate a new day, give food, clothing and shelter, work, happiness and prosperity, credit and buying power and just prices to all. There was to be no increase in taxes, no further need of poverty in the midst of plenty, in the richest province in Canada. The people believed him to be the Moses to lead them out of the wilderness.

What have we today, after a year of experience and experimentation? No Social Credit, but higher taxes, more money collected than ever before, the provincial debt increasing, laws passed and put on the statute books—then found unconstitutional. There are more unemployed than before and they are still increasing, many who can be leaving the province; capital, according to the banks, has been removed from the province, highways have been neglected, promises have been broken as never before. Scrip has been issued to take the place of money, credit houses have been planned to take the place of our banks, a bill is before the house to license every trade, business, man and woman worker in Alberta—enslave the people, copy Germany.

How would the farmers in the Vulcan district like to be licensed—to permit you to raise cattle, milk your cows, raise hogs or sheep; or be told what to put in your land or where to sell your products? It will be red tape, it will cost money!

When Manning claimed that scrip was a success in Portland, I knew it was not true because I had been in Portland and investigated. I wrote to the Calgary Herald and the Alberta people soon got the truth. On June 3rd of last year, Mr. Maynard said: "The provincial cabinet ministers will take 20 or 25 per cent. of their salaries in certificates, the amount of cash so replaced would immediately be placed in current fund as backing." Another press report says "The cabinet ministers were not paid in stamped scrip." Maybe it is better the people do not know where their hard-earned money is going, or how the government spends the taxes. It seems to me that intelligent people as we have here in Alberta have a right to an accounting. As a democratic people, the government is the people's business. Our farmers in the Vulcan district are not hillbilly ignoramuses, only of a mentality of school children. The people are awakening to the seriousness of conditions. All around us prosperity and confidence are being restored, why not in Alberta?

—CHAS. A. GRANT

The Provincial Institute of Technology and Art is awarding scholarships entitling the winner to \$10 part payment of tuition fees for a summer school in Fine Art and Design, at Banff, from August 2 to August 27, in co-operation with the extension department of the University of Alberta and the Carnegie Foundation of New York.

Public Ownership

Premier Duplessis' announced intention of creating a provincial hydro-electric system in Quebec fulfills one of his pre-election promises. His decision may have been hastened by pressure from a number of his former supporters. Propaganda has been rife in Quebec for public ownership and it is good politics to give the public what it wants, or thinks it wants.—Financial Post.

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